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### A TALE OF A SHIRT.

The Length of Time the Great Iowa Statesman Wore One.  
(Denver Tribune.)

Apropos of General Sherman's visit to Denver, a story is told of the General's experience with Henry Clay Dean. The two had been friends for years, and when Sherman became General and Dean happened to be in Washington, the latter, naturally enough, felt a desire to renew the old acquaintance.

He called at Sherman's house and was received with open arms. They talked over old times, and nothing would do but Dean must stay to dinner.

"But, General," remonstrated Mrs. Sherman in her husband's ear, "I can't have such a dirty looking man at my table; can't you spruce him up a little?"

The General said he'd fix that, and so at an opportune moment he hustled Mr. Dean up stairs, ransacked a bureau, and produced a clean shirt for him to put on. Mrs. Sherman was mollified, and the dinner was really a charming affair, for there is no more delightful, entertaining and instructive conversationalist than Henry Clay Dean.

One year after this event General Sherman was at the Lindell Hotel, St. Louis, with his family. A card was brought up bearing Henry Clay Dean's name.

Mrs. Sherman was much pleased. "He is such a charming talker, we must have him to dinner. Only you must see that he looks presentable." These were madam's words to the warrior.

So Sherman welcomed Dean, and, just before going to dinner, slipped him into a side room and gave him a clean shirt to wear. Dean doffed his coat and vest, and, after several desperate efforts, succeeded in divesting himself of the shirt he had on—a soiled, grimy, black thing, that looked as if it had seen long and hard service. Then they all went down to dinner, and Mr. Dean was more charming than ever, and Mr. Sherman was in ecstasies.

The next day, as Mrs. Sherman was getting her husband's duds and clothes together, preparatory to packing them for the onward march, she gave a sort of a wild, hunted scream.

"What is it, my dear," called the General from the next room.

"Just come in here for a minute," replied Mrs. Sherman, between faint gasps.

The General went in. There stood Mrs. Sherman holding in her left hand the begrimed shirt Henry Clay Dean had left. With her right hand she pointed to certain initials on the lower edge of the bosom. The initials read "W. S. T."

It was the identical shirt General Sherman had loaned Henry Clay Dean in Washington twelve months before!

### The Newer Arithmetic.

If a man buys a box of strawberries with the bottom shoved up half-way to the top for twenty-five cents, how many can he buy for \$2?

Bought a horse fourteen years old for \$65, and sold him to an editor for \$120 as a six-year-old stepper. How much did I make?

If it takes eighteen men to do the bossing and four men to do the lifting when a street-car horse falls down, how many bosses and lifters will it take to put five horses on their feet?

Julia has 5 beaux and Emily has 3, while the old maid next door has none. How many beaux in all, and how many would be left if they should give the old maid half the crowd?

How many are \$18 less the \$5 you lent a Congressman's son to help him pay his fare to Iowa?

A certain city has a population of 420.

000. The census man can't find but 231,580. What is the difference, and where did the remainder hide during the census taking?

A. has an overcoat for which he paid \$18, and his wife trades it off for two red-clay busts of Andrew Jackson, worth thirty cents each. How much money will she get from her husband to buy a fall bonnet?

If six men who talk politics and dispute on biblical questions can build a walk in five days, how long will it take two men who whistle and flirt with the widow on the corner to do the same work?

A man pays thirty cents for three pounds of evaporated apples and gets a \$14 newspaper puff for sending them to an orphan asylum. Does he gain or lose and how much?

How many peck peach-baskets, each holding six quarts, will be required to hold seven bushels of peaches, each bushel of which is short four quarts?

How do you obtain an abstract number? Answer—Hire a strange boy to take a dozen oranges to your house.

How do you obtain a concrete number? Answer—Mix one part Akron cement with two parts of sand and spread.  
—Detroit Free Press.

### Insect Life in Brazil.

Mr. Ernest Morris, the young traveler and naturalist, who has just returned from Brazil, repeats the general observation of explorers that the exuberance of insect life is the principal obstacle to the enjoyment of a sojourn in that part of the world. Cockroaches swarm in every house despite the inroads of an army of spiders which sally forth from every chink to prey upon them, scorpions are intrusive and dangerous; a small red insect called the "mecuim" is an intolerable annoyance; at certain hours of the day the air is black with flies and mosquitoes, and ants are a universal plague. To baffle these last-named foes of peace Mr. Morris was obliged to keep his entire collections on hanging shelves, the cords of which were soaked in the oil of copaiba. "The most destructive ant in Brazil," says Mr. Morris, "is the sanba. It will strip trees of their foliage in a single night, and in many places orange trees can not be grown for this reason. The tocandeira is a very small ant, the bite of which is poisonous and makes a painful sore. I was once rendered unable to work for a week from a bite received from one of these ants. Some species travel in large bodies, marching in a straight line, and never turning to the right or left. If a house lies in the track of one of these marching bodies, unless they are completely exterminated they pass through. Nothing will be injured, but every crack and cranny will be explored, and not a cockroach or spider will survive the visitation. They are, therefore, regarded as friends, and their advent is welcomed. Go where you will in Brazil, you will meet ants. You live, sleep, and eat with them—and eat them, too."

"Now," said the Justice to the witness, "you will please tell precisely how it happened." "Yes, sir; I'll try. The prisoner and that man were eating dinner at the same table and they got to quarreling; when the prisoner just up with a dab of Irish mashed potatoes and hit that other man on the head with it." "Do you, sir," said the Justice sternly, "pretend to tell the Court that a dab of mashed potatoes, even when thrown with the greatest violence, can make a gash five inches long on a man's head and knock him senseless? If you trifle with the Court you will be locked up." "Judge, I reckon I forgot to say that when the prisoner threw the dab of mashed potatoes at the man he forgot to first take the dab out of the dish."